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Community Calendar

Annual Holiday Home Tour set

One of the most popular events in the area will return this year as the Northville Community Foundation presents the Holiday Home Tour. The event is one of the major fundraisers for the group which operates Maybury Farm and provides scholarships to students and holiday gifts for seniors. Traditionally, six private homes decorated for the holidays, will be available for visitor tours. This year the event is planned for Friday and Saturday, Nov. 22 and 23. For more information, contact the foundation office at (248) 374-0200 or email diana@mayburyfarm.org.

Gobble Wobble Turkey Trot Nov. 22 in downtown Romulus

The annual Gobble Wobble Turkey Trot is set to begin with check in at 5 p.m. Nov. 22. Runners will travel from Artisan Reserve to Walter's Bar this year. Following check in, trotting will begin at 5:30. Parking will be available at Walter's Bar with shuttle service from there to Artisan Reserve, available till 6:30 p.m. Holiday turkey attire is encouraged. To register or for more information, contact Zelle Romulus Goodfellows (734) 322-7680 and include name and phone number, or register same day at \$10 per entry

Register for Brunch with Santa until Nov. 22.

Registrations for the popular Brunch with Santa at the Romulus Athletic Center will be accepted online until Nov. 22 at romulusgov.com. Registration is available in person at the Romulus Athletic Center Parks and Recreation Department office at the recreation center. Brunch will be served from 10:30 until noon Dec. 7. The \$14 fee includes brunch, a photo with Santa, story time and special holiday crafts. Adults accompanying children can enjoy brunch for \$6. For more information call (734) 941-8665.

Annual Village Potters Guild

The Village Potters Guild of Plymouth 2024 Holiday Market is set for 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. Nov. 22 and 23 and from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Nov. 24. This annual sale features works of artist members, as well as invited guest artists, offering a variety ceramics for purchase. The sale will take place at 326 N. Main Street (just north of the railroad tracks behind Sidecar). For more information, visit villagepottersguild.org.

Veterans' Monument meeting is scheduled in Romulus

Community meetings regarding the Veterans' Monument in Romulus have been planned for 5 p.m. on Dec. 11 at the Romulus VFW post 78. The post is located at 39270 West Huron River Dr. in Romulus. The meeting is for family, friends, veterans or others who have a brick located at the Romulus Veteran's Monument on Wayne Road in the Municipal Complex. Contact the City of Romulus Treasurer's Office as soon as possible at (734) 942-7580.

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Local area voters' decisions favor incumbents

While the national election was the focus of voters throughout the area, voters also chose local officials to lead their communities for the next few years. In addition, several communities and school districts had millage questions on the ballot, which will determine tax rates for homeowners. Local voters returned several incumbents to office and seemed to overwhelmingly agree to tax increases to support schools and parks in the area. A few of the local results included:

In CANTON TOWNSHIP:

Incumbent Township Supervisor Anne Marie Graham Hudak, a Democrat, who faced former Supervisor Pat Williams, won a return to the four-year office with 33,309 or 57 percent of the vote while Williams, a Republican was the choice of 23,079 or 42 percent of voters. Democrats were also the choice of voters to fill the board of trustee seats. Incumbent trustees Kate Borninski won 29,944 or 14.81 percent of the total votes; Sommer Foster was the choice of 28,983 or 14.34 percent of voters and Tania Ganguly received 28,930 or 14.31 percent of votes. Newcomer Ammara Ansari was the choice of 29,880 or 14.78 percent of voters. The Democrats were challenged by Republicans John Anthony, 20,826 votes; Tyler Grable, 19,875 votes; Jeff Grauke, 19,885 votes and Marko Kozina, 18,764 votes. The newly-elected trustees will serve four-year terms. Incumbent Township Clerk Michael Siegrist and Treasurer



Dian Slavens, both Democrats, were unopposed and both will serve four-year terms.

In NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP:

Voters chose four members to serve terms on the township board of trustees. Mindy Herrmann, a Republican, won 11,038 votes or 21 percent of the total; Scott Frush, also a Republican was the choice of 10,539 or 20 percent of voters; Roland Hwang, a Democrat, garnered 10,063 or 19 percent of votes; Chris Roosen, a Republican won 10,062 or 19 percent of voters. Roger Lundberg, a Republican, received 9,949 or 19 percent of votes cast. Jennifer Gustafson, Joseph P. Corriveau and Nicholas A. Vlisides will serve as members of District Library Board. Northville Public Schools Board of Education members chosen by voters were Lisa McIntyre, 13,048 or 21 percent of votes; Ron Frazier, 11,034 or 17 percent of votes; Jena Mabrey with 10,938 or 17 percent of votes and Meredith Riggan Maurer, 9,688 or 15 percent of votes. They were challenged

by Philip DeLoach, 7,585 votes; Priya Marwah 7,534 votes and Aric Tosqui, 3,670 votes.

NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION:

Voters chose four candidates to serve four-year terms on the board of education. Lisa McIntyre received 13,065 votes or 20.5 percent of the total; Ron Frazier was the choice of 11,060 or 17.4 percent of voters, Jena Mabrey won 10960 votes or 17.2 percent of votes cast and Meredith Riggan Maurer received 9,719 or 15.3 percent of votes. They were challenged by Philip DeLoach; Priya Marwah and Aric Tosqui.

IN PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP:

Chuck Curmi is the new Plymouth Township Supervisor after defeating incumbent Supervisor Kurt Heise in the August primary election. Also uncontested was incumbent Treasurer Bob Doroshewitz who defeated his challenger during the primary balloting. Incumbent Plymouth

Township Clerk Jerry Vorva, a Republican, was elected to serve another four years. He received 9,761 votes, or 54 percent of the total while his challenger, former township clerk Nancy Conzelman, running as a Democrat, received 8,288 votes, or 46 percent of votes. Incumbent trustees Jen Buckley, a Republican, earned 9,391 votes, or 15.1 percent while John Stewart, also a Republican, was the choice of 9,338 or 15 percent of voters. They will serve four-year terms along with newly elected Mark Clinton, who received 9,268 or 14.9 of votes and Sandy Groth, who was the choice of 9,056 or 14.5 percent of voters. The Republicans were challenged by Bob Miller, Angela Nolan and Michael Westra.

JUDGE OF THE 35th DISTRICT COURT

Voters chose local attorney Joe Barone to fill the six-year term at the court. Barone received 37,774 votes, or 55.7 percent of ballots cast. His challenger, Michael Woodyard, was the choice of 30,065 voters or 44.3 percent of votes cast.

PLYMOUTH CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION:

Jennifer Vos was the top choice of voters to serve the single available six-year term on the board. Vos received 23,853 voters of 46.2 percent of the total. She was challenged by Patti McCoin who won 21,297 votes or 41.3 percent of votes and Faize M. El-Khali who received 6,428 or 12.5 percent of votes cast.

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Winning Ways

The Romulus Junior Varsity Flyers were crowned Peanut Bowl champions last weekend while the Romulus Flyers Cheerleaders placed 4th at their cheer competition. This latest victory adds to a long string of wins for the Romulus teams who 2019 Junior Varsity Champions; 2021 Junior Varsity Champions; 2022 Varsity Runner-Up; 2023 Freshman Champions; 2024 Freshman Runner-Up; 2024 Junior



Varsity Champions and 2024 Varsity Champions. Helping support the teams were Superintendent of Romulus Community Schools Dr. Ben Edmondson and Barth Elementary School David Thompson who showed their team spirit

at the championship game in Melvindale. The victory adds to the long history of Romulus athletic championships. The Romulus Lady Eagles won the Class A regional title for consecutive years and have been league champions in

2019, 2021, 2022, 2023, and 2024. Not to be outdone, the championship Romulus Varsity Boys Basketball team won their game against Arbor Prep High School by a score of 66-61 earlier this year.



Sounds good

Grant to fund new sound system at Penn Theatre

The sounds of progress will soon be heard at the Penn Theatre in downtown Plymouth. The Friends of the Penn, the organization that operates the historic theater, was recently awarded an \$8,000 grant from the Margaret Dunning Foundation to fund the installation of a permanent public address system at facility. Ellen Elliott, executive director of Friends of the Penn, expressed her gratitude for the continuing support of the community and the foundation.

“The whole community has the potential to benefit from this project as an extension of the lighting project that was made possible by the generosity of the Margaret Dunning Foundation last year. “We host a mental health lecture series for the Plymouth-Canton Community School District that benefits our youngest citizens. We also collaborate with the Plymouth District Library to schedule author lectures for people of all ages. We work with other non-profit organizations, including Plymouth Pollinators, Keep Plymouth Leafy, Friends of the Rouge, and Plymouth Community Arts Council, to schedule programming that educates and inspires our residents.

“This project will also help us better

communicate with our audience during movie events that involve post-screening discussions. We are grateful to the Margaret Dunning Foundation for their assistance in helping us continue with our charitable mission of preserving and maintaining the historic Penn Theatre,” Elliott said.

The Margaret Dunning Foundation was founded by Ms. Dunning in 1997 to support charitable programs primarily in western Wayne County. Ms. Dunning, a philanthropist, was a beloved member of the Plymouth community before her death at the age 105. Her foundation continues to fund multiple cultural and educational projects in the community.

The historic Penn Theatre was built in 1941 exclusively as a movie theater and was saved from demolition by a grassroots community effort which has evolved into the Friends of the Penn organization.

For more information about the historic Penn Theatre and Friends of the Penn, a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, visit www.penntheatre.com

For more information about The Margaret Dunning Foundation, visit www.margaretdunningfdn.org

Free Narcan seminar available

The use of the life-saving medication Narcan will be the topic of a free seminar next week conducted by the Recovery Action Network of Michigan for those 18 and older.

The training in use of the medication in the event of an opioid overdose will begin at 6:30 p.m. next Thursday, Nov. 21. m. at the Summit on the Park, located at 46000 Summit Parkway in Canton.

The training will provide life-saving instruction on how to administer Naloxone, which is an opioid overdose reversal drug that is often referred to by the brand name Narcan™. No pre-registration is required to attend, and participants will leave with a free Narcan™ kit; while supplies last, organizers said..

In an effort to help prevent overdose deaths in Canton and surrounding

communities, a self-serve vending machine containing free Narcan™ and Fentanyl test strips is now available in the Summit on the Park, located on the west side of the facility near the Recreation entrance. The vending machine will dispense these items anonymously and free of charge.

“It’s important for everyone to recognize the symptoms of an opioid overdose in others, as a quick response can save a person’s life,” said Greg Hohenberger, Canton Leisure Services director. “Having easy access to this life-saving medication and Fentanyl test strips without a prescription in our high-traffic facility can hopefully help save more lives and give a person another

For more information, visit www.summitonthe.org or call (734) 394-5460.

PUBLIC AUCTION FRAZIER’S AUTO SERVICE TOWING

On Tuesday, November 26, 2024 at 1:30 PM, Frazier’s Auto Service Towing located at 35830 Van Born Rd, Wayne, MI, County of Wayne, will conduct a public auction of Impounded and Abandoned vehicles. The following vehicles will be offered for sale to the highest bidder.

23-7222	1979	LINCOLN	TOWNCAR	9Y82S761601
23-12900	2009	CHEVROLET	MALIBU	1G1ZK57769F214494
24-3350	2012	FORD	ESCAPE	1FMCU0E7XCKB30122
24-9851	2016	CHEVROLET	EQUINOX	2GNALCEK7G6282282
24-10055	2006	FORD	ESCAPE	1FMYU03146KC03428
24-10849	2019	CHEVROLET	EXPRESS G350	1GAZGPF7K1180695
24-11051	2023	BITELLI	SCORCH	LL0TCKP77PG000653
24-11505	2015	BASHAN	RENEGADE	LHJTLBBN4FB001898
24-13770	2004	JEEP	LIBERTY	1J4GK48K34W274957
24-14300	2015	FORD	FIESTA	3FADP4BJ3FM217113
24-14300	2001	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNEC13V41J271897
24-14763	1999	FORD	ECONOLINE	1FTRE1421XHB65058
24-14793	2016	FORD	FUSION	3FA6P0HD2GR143173
24-14910	2008	PONTIAC	G6	1G2ZG57B684260502
24-15594	2002	TOYOTA	CAMRY	JTDBE30K920044644
24-15638	2010	FORD	ESCAPE	1FMCU9C79AKC15344
24-16132	2012	FORD	FUSION	3FAHP0JG8CR321241
24-16287	2002	CHEVROLET	S10	1GCCS14W028121210
24-16598	2016	JEEP	LIBERTY	1C4NJDDB3GD638352
24-16740	2012	JEEP	GRAND CHEROKEE	1C4RJFAG1CC272918
24-16830	2014	FORD	FOCUS	1FADP3K29EL197551
24-16946	2003	FORD	F150	1FTRF17243NB50364
24-17003	2009	FORD	ESCAPE	1FMCU03709KA60044
24-17219	2003	CHEVROLET	TAHOE K1500	1GNEK13Z03J264101
24-17605	2007	CHEVROLET	TRAILBLAZER	1GNDS13S972310250
24-17621	1960	AJAX	14FT FIBERGLASS OUTBOARD PLEASURE	601821

The above vehicles are impounded through the City of Wayne Police Department.

All Vehicles are sold in “as is condition”. Bidding on all vehicles will start at the amount due for towing and storage. There is a \$100 administrative fee, to be paid by the buyer to the police department, when picking up the paperwork.

24-40206	1998	LINCOLN	CONTINENTIAL	1LNBM82F5KY647118
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The above vehicles are impounded through the City of Westland Police Department.

All Vehicles are sold in “as is condition”. Bidding on all vehicles will start at the amount due for towing and storage. Vehicles may be deleted from this list at any time prior to the start of the auction. This is a cash only sale and all vehicles must be paid for in full at the conclusion of the auction.

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Decisions

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CITY OF PLYMOUTH PARKS AND RECREATION MILLAGE:

The charter amendment for a 1.2 mill property tax for 8 years for parks and recreation funding failed to meet approval of voters. The proposal was defeated with 3,167 no votes or 52.7 percent of ballots. Yes votes on the question totaled 2,840 or 47.3 percent.

ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION:

Four candidates vied for the three available seats on the board of education in Romulus. Juday R. Kennard received 5,181 or 28.3 percent of votes; Moifa Kamaal received 4,472 or 24.4 percent of the vote and Debi Pyles was the choice of 4,427 or 24.1 percent of voters.

Jozet Channey received Channey received 4,258 or 23.2 percent of the vote.

TOWNSHIP OF SUMPTER:

Sumpter Township voters returned Supervisor Tim Bowman, a Republican, to office with 3,348 or 59.62 percent of votes. Challenger Nelson Po, a Democrat, received 2,236 or 39.81 percent of the 5,66 votes cast. Donald LaPorte, a Republican, was unopposed for the office of Sumpter Township Clerk. He received 95.10 percent, or 3,864 votes. Also unopposed was Treasurer Bart Patterson, also a Republican, who received 3,791 or 95.11 percent of votes cast.

The four candidates for the Sumpter Township Board of Trustees were also unopposed. Republicans

James Frazier, 3,357 votes; John Honey, 3,310 votes; incumbent Matt Oddy, 3,218 votes and incumbent Tim Rush, 3,242 will serve on the board.

CITY OF WAYNE CHARTER AMENDMENT FOR POLICE AND FIRE SERVICES:

The extension of the 2-mil assessment for police and fire services was approved by 63 percent of voters who cast 4,386 votes in favor of the proposal. No votes on the proposal totaled 2,576 or 37 percent.

CITY OF WAYNE CHARTER AMENDMENT FOR PURCHASE AND SALE OF PROPERTY:

An amendment to change the threshold of competitive bids for property sales and purchases was defeated by voters. No votes totaled 3,749 or 53.7 percent while 3,227 or 46.3 percent of voters were in favor of the change.

WAYNE-WESTLAND COMMUNITY SCHOOLS OPERATING MILLAGE PROPOSAL:

Voters agreed to allow the school district to assess the statutory limit of 18 mills for schools operations. Yes votes totaled 22,573 or 61.2 percent while 14,333 or 38.8 percent of voters were not in favor of the tax question.

RENEWAL OF WAYNE COUNTY REGIONAL EDUCATION SERVICE MILLAGE:

The renewal was approved by 487,299 voters or 68.1 percent of voters in Wayne County. No votes on the question totaled 227,928 or 31.9 percent of votes.

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Sumpter Township
Regular Board Meeting
Tuesday, July 9, 2024, 6:00 p.m.
23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, MI 48111
Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Bowman at 6:01 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

No workshop.

Roll call: Supervisor Bowman, Treasurer Patterson, Trustees: Oddy, Rush, and Morgan. Excused Clerk Hurst and Trustee LaPorte. Also showing present: Township Manager Burdick, Attorney Young, Deputy Clerk Armatis, Public Safety Director/Police Chief Luke, Fire Chief Brown, Finance Director Holtz, Water Superintendent Danci and 13 attendees.

3. Agenda: Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

4. Public Comment/Open Floor: Three (3) attendees spoke.

5. Minutes: A. Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve the regular board meeting minutes of June 25, 2024, and to accept the Parks and Recreation meeting minutes of May 1, 2024. Motion carried.

6. Warrants: Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve warrants totaling \$143,324.69. Roll call vote: Yes: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

7. Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to receive and file the supervisor's report. Motion carried.

8. Attorney's report by Young. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to accept the report. Motion carried.

9. Police Report by Chief Luke: Gave report and stated Rawsonville and Willis was top crash site in Sumpter. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to accept the police report. Motion carried.

10. Building Report by Bowman. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy to accept the building report as read. Motion carried.

11. Fire Report by Chief Brown. Motion by Patterson, supported by Oddy, to accept the fire report as read. Motion carried.

12. Board Response: Patterson had an idea for board members to think about regarding workshops, that they might want to hold them on another night before the board meeting.

13. New Business:

A. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve Brian Messer's fireworks permit on July 20, 2024. Motion carried.

B. Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve, with regrets, the expiration of the AFSCME one-year right to return for Michael Petrowski, effective July 1st, 2024. Motion carried.

C. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve the TNT Tree Service proposal for \$8,000.00 to remove identified trees, stumps, and brush at Martinsville Cemetery using ARPA-obligated funds. Motion carried.

D. Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve the TNT invoice in the amount of \$1,350.00 for tree and stump removal at Martinsville Cemetery using ARPA funds. Motion carried.

E. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to approve the recycling concrete pad bid submitted by Diversified Excavating in the amount of \$56,400.00, paid with ARPA funds. Discussion regarding where the extra \$20,000.00 would come from. Answer is the extra money will come from ARPA monies left from other projects. Yes: Bowman, Patterson, Oddy, Rush. Nay: Morgan. Motion carried.

F. Motion by Rush, supported by Bowman for approval to switch equipment from decommissioned police vehicle 328 to the new 328 by Herkimer Services for \$4,213.39. Motion carried.

G. Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve the outfitting of the new police department vehicle 322, at a total cost of \$14,361.77, by Herkimer Services utilizing forfeiture funds. Motion carried.

H. Motion by Patterson, supported by Bowman, to approve the Graham Park playscape by Penchura LLC, in the amount of \$237,052.00 using ARPA funds, amended with the addition of adding \$20,000.00 for poured walkways. Motion carried.

I. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to approve Waters Edge option B floating dock system at a net cost of \$22,586.00 using ARPA and Wayne County Millage funds. Yes: Bowman, Patterson, Oddy, Rush. Nay: Morgan. Motion carried.

J. Motion by Oddy, supported by Patterson to assess selling the list of township-owned properties. Motion carried.

	Parcel ID #	Address	Parcel Size-Net
1	81-016-99-0014-715	Sumpter Rd **PENDING**	9.319 acres
2	81-032-99-0008-002	Judd Rd	0.810 acres
4	81-038-01-0004-000	Sumpter Rd **POSSIBLE PUMP STATION**	0.404 acres
12	81-081-99-0004-000	Dunn Rd	1.030 acres
14	81-087-99-0005-002	24985 Sumpter Rd	0.120 acres
15	81-088-01-0004-000	Willow Rd	0.294 acres
16	81-088-01-0005-000	Willow Rd	0.294 acres
17	81-088-01-0006-000	Willow Rd	0.294 acres
18	81-102-99-0006-000	Martinsville Rd	68.38 acres
19	81-105-99-0013-000	Willow Rd	2.460 acres
20	81-105-99-0014-000	Willow Rd	2.460 acres
21	81-106-99-0004-000	Willow Rd	3.040 acres
24	81-109-99-0005-003	Sumpter Rd	10.05 acres
25	81-109-99-0005-005	Sumpter Rd	10.05 acres
26	81-114-99-0014-010	Willow Rd	3.560 acres
27	81-114-99-0014-011	Willow Rd	3.540 acres
28	81-114-99-0014-712	Willow Rd	1.520 acres
29	81-115-99-0008-001	Arkona Rd **LANDLOCKED!**	4.970 acres
30	81-122-99-0007-701	Rawsonville Rd	67.59 acres

14. Announcements: None.

15. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to adjourn at 6:39 pm. Motion carried.

Minutes prepared by:
Deputy Clerk K. Armatis
Sumpter Township

Sumpter Township
Regular Board Meeting
Tuesday, July 23, 6:00 p.m.
23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, MI 48111
Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Bowman at 6:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call: Supervisor Bowman, Clerk Hurst, Treasurer Patterson, Trustees: Morgan, Oddy, LaPorte, and Rush. Also showing present: Township Manager Burdick, Deputy Clerk Armatis, Finance Director Holtz, Attorney Young, Public Safety Director/Police Chief Luke, Fire Chief Brown, Water Superintendent Danci and 18 attendees.

3. Agenda: Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve the Agenda with the addition of Item 1. Motion carried.

4. Public Comment. 4 attendees spoke.

5. Minutes: Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve Regular Board Meeting Minutes of July 9, 2024. Motion carried.

6. Warrants: Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to approve warrants totaling \$489,575.00. Roll call vote: Yes: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

7. Finance report given by Holtz. Royalty spreadsheet in the packet. Audit fieldwork finished. Rana will present the audit report at the second meeting in August. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve the finance report. Motion carried.

8. Water/Sewer report: Report read by Danci. Motion by LaPorte, supported by Morgan, to approve the water/sewer report. Motion carried.

9. Treasurer's report: Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve the treasurer's investment report as read by Patterson. Motion carried.

10. Planning & Zoning report given by Oddy. Public hearing August 15, 2024 for the Master Plan. Motion by LaPorte, supported by Rush, to accept the planning/zoning report. Motion carried.

11. Board Response: Trustee Rush stated that the fireworks display by B. Messer was excellent and well attended. Trustee Oddy stated that Parks and Recreation was always looking for volunteers and Covid really hit them hard. Still looking for volunteers. LaPorte thanked firefighter Dave Behrendt for using his personal tractor to spread mulch at Banotai Park.

12. New Business:

A. Motion by LaPorte, supported by Morgan, to accept the resignation of Firefighter Ayden Roupe, with regret, effective June 23, 2024. Motion carried.

B. Motion by Oddy, supported by Patterson, to accept the resignation of Firefighter Christopher Zweng, with regret, effective July 8, 2024. Motion carried.

C. Motion by Morgan, supported by Rush, to approve to post for hiring a temporary DPW worker for a part-time position up to 29 hours weekly at \$23.33 per hour for 90 days from the date of assignment. Motion carried.

D. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to post and accept bids for the police department restroom floors and south wall window replacements. Motion carried.

E. Motion by Patterson, supported by LaPorte, to approve 20 yards of mulch for Banotai Park playscape at a total cost of \$585.00, utilizing ARPA funds. Motion carried.

F. Motion by Patterson, supported by Oddy to approve Quarter 1 budget amendments for fiscal year 2024-2025 with a summary page. Motion carried.

G. Motion by LaPorte, supported by Rush, to TABLE approval of the Utility Billing Policy & Procedures for further study. Motion carried.

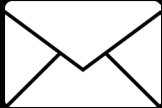
H. Motion by Morgan, supported by Rush, to accept the resignation of DPW Director John Danci, with regret, effective August 6, 2024. Motion carried.

I. ADDED. Motion by Patterson, supported by Oddy to post and publish for candidate considerations for the Director of Water, Sewer, and DPW. Motion carried.

13. Announcements: None.

14. Motion by Rush, supported by Bowman, to adjourn at 6:38 pm. Motion carried.

Minutes prepared by Deputy Clerk K. Armatis Sumpter Township



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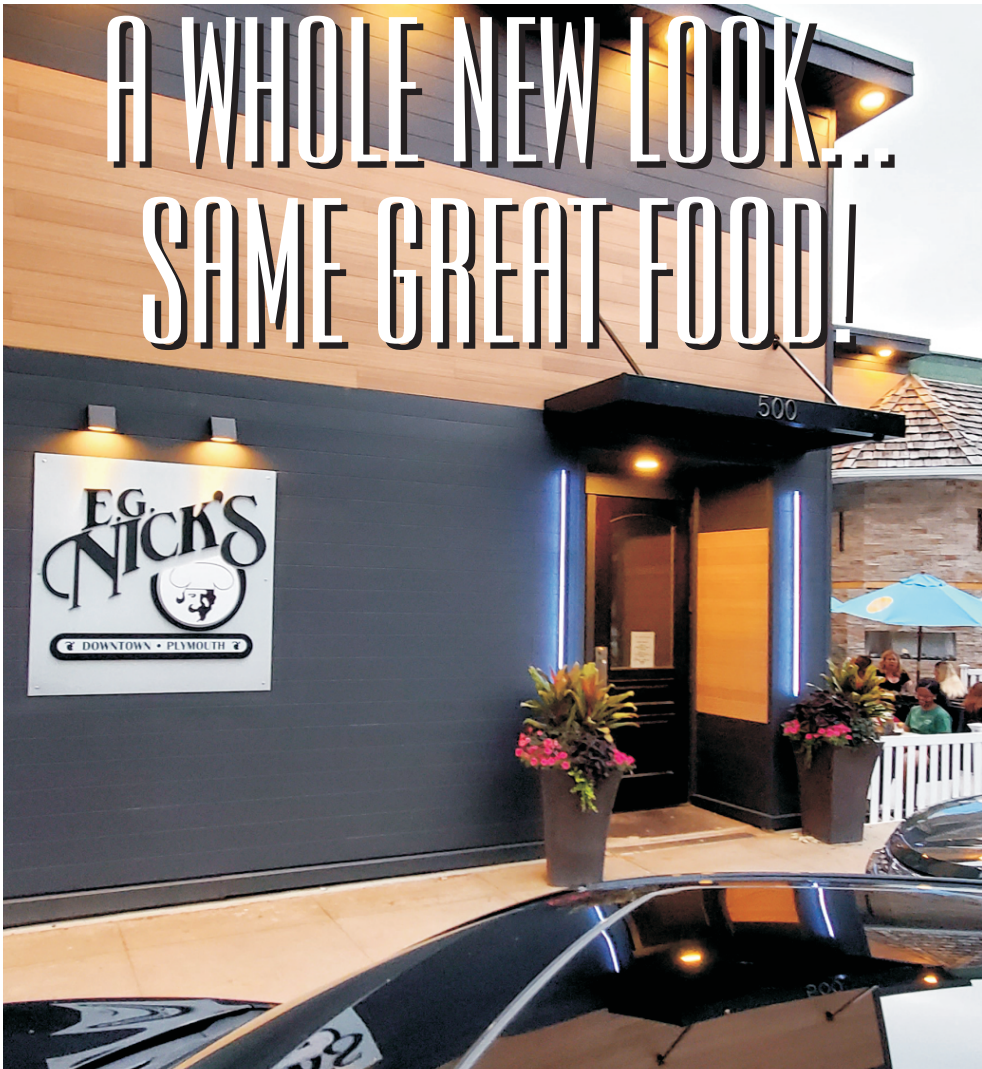
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No workshop.

Roll call: Supervisor Bowman, Clerk Hurst, Treasurer Patterson, Trustees: Oddy, Rush, and LaPorte. Excused Morgan. Also showing present: Township Manager Burdick, Attorney Young, Deputy Clerk Armatís, Public Safety Director/Police Chief Luke, Fire Chief Brown, Finance Director Holtz, and 21 attendees.

3. Agenda: Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

4. Public Comment/Open Floor: Eight (8) attendees spoke.

5. Minutes:
A. Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve the regular board meeting minutes of July 23, 2024. Motion carried.

6. Warrants: Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve warrants totaling \$220,251.30. Roll call vote: Yes: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

7. Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to receive and file the supervisor's report. Motion carried.

8. Township Manager's Report by Burdick. He and attorney working on a bond agreement, congratulations to the fire department on the millage passage, congratulations to clerk's office for election, August 19, the dock project starts, free landfill hours changing on September 16, 2024, to Monday-Friday 9-3; WCA will have 45% of properties assessed by year-end, recommends township newsletter be a winter edition; township hall roof leak, Panchera project for the park will be 2025; another park cleanup. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy to accept the manager's report. Motion carried.

9. Attorney's report by Young. Attorney Young defended the ordinance department, they are in court once a month. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to accept the report. Motion carried.

10. Police Report by Chief Luke: Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to receive and file the police report. Motion carried.

11. Building Report by Bowman. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to accept the building report as read. Motion carried.

12. Fire Report by Chief Brown. Motion by LaPorte, supported by Rush, to accept the fire report as read. Motion carried.

13. Board Response: LaPorte stated that he will share the ordinance report with any resident who wants to see it.

14. Unfinished Business:

A. Motion by Oddy, supported by LaPorte, to remove approval of the Utility Billing Policy and Procedures study. Motion carried.

15. New Business:

A. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to approve the ordinance text amendment to Division 10-Rates and Charges, Section 25-185; changing the words May to November and Superintendent to Supervisor. Motion carried.

B. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to approve the T-N-T Tree Service proposal of \$14,500 to remove trees at Banotai Park using ARPA-obligated funds. Motion carried.

C. Motion by Rush, supported by LaPorte, to approve the proposal from C&S Construction for the community center door replacements in the amended amount of \$29,500.00, including an inside ADA door opener, paid with ARPA funds. Motion carried.

D. Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve the proposal from Midwest Pavement for the campus parking lots in the amount of \$241,900.00, using ARPA funds. Motion carried.

E. Motion by LaPorte, supported by Patterson, to outfit the fire department replacement vehicle, Rescue 13, by Herkimer Services at a total cost of \$8,765.00. Motion carried.

F. Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush to approve the final invoice from Outdoor Amenities in the amount of \$45,050.00 using ARPA funds. Motion carried.

G. Motion by Oddy, supported by LaPorte, to appoint Scott Holtz, Eric Luke, Karen Armatís, Bart Patterson, and Tim Bowman and amended to add Erica Campbell to an interview committee for DPW Director candidates. Motion carried.

H. Motion by Oddy, supported by Patterson, to approve an additional 20 yards of mulch to refresh the Banotai Park playscape in the amount of \$585.00 using ARPA funds. Motion carried.

I. Motion by Patterson, supported by LaPorte, to approve the replacement AT&T agreement of four service lines at an annual cost of approximately \$4,500.00, effective 9/1/2024 for three years, saving \$21,000.00 per year. Motion carried.

16. Announcements: Rush stated there was almost 2" of rain on election day.

17. Motion by Patterson, supported by LaPorte, to adjourn at 7:19 pm. Motion carried.

Minutes prepared by:
Deputy Clerk K. Armatís
Sumpter Townshi

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Bowman at 6:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call: Supervisor Bowman, Clerk Hurst, Treasurer Patterson, Trustees: Oddy, LaPorte, and Rush. Morgan excused. Also showing present: Township Manager Burdick, Deputy Clerk Armatís, Finance Director Holtz, Attorney Young, Captain Gannon, Fire Chief Brown, and 12 attendees. Rana Emmons with Post, Smythe, Lutz, and Ziel did not attend with the audit presentation.

3. Agenda: Motion by Patterson, supported by Oddy, to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

4. Public Comment. 5 attendees spoke.

5. Minutes: Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve the Regular Board Meeting Minutes of August 13, 2024, and accept the Planning Commission Meeting Minutes of May 9, 2024. Motion carried.

6. Warrants: Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve warrants totaling \$214,695.44. Roll call vote: Yes: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

7. Finance report given by Holtz. Royalty spreadsheet in the packet. Royalties are down 4.44%. Holtz also reported on cemetery activities, that both the preservation training in Kalamazoo, and the conference in Frankenmuth went well. Armatís announced that Holtz was voted on the Board of Directors for the Michigan Association of Municipal Cemeteries. Rush stated the cost of early voting was over \$8,000.00 for 126 voters. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve the finance report. Motion carried.

8. Township Manager Burdick read his report. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve the manager's report. Motion carried.

9. Water/Sewer report: Report read by Patterson. Motion by LaPorte, supported by Oddy, to approve the water/sewer report. Motion carried.

10. Treasurer's report: Report read by Patterson. Motion by Rush, supported by Bowman, to approve the treasurer's investment report as read by Patterson. Motion carried.

11. Planning & Zoning report: Oddy stated the first item on the agenda was the report. No questions. Motion by LaPorte, supported by Rush, to accept the planning/zoning report. Motion carried.

12. Board Response: None.

13. New Business:

A. Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to accept the planning commission's recommendation for a text amendment to move Class II and III animals from Section 4.6.2, Special Land Uses, to Section 4.6.3, Accessory Land Uses. Motion carried.

B. Motion by Hurst, supported by Bowman, to approve the final benefits bank time for John Danci in the amount of 11,197.98, amended to \$10,213.64. Discussion. The amount was not reviewed by the finance director. Roll call vote: Yay: Patterson. Nay: Rush, Hurst, LaPorte, Oddy, Bowman. Motion failed.

C. Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve Scott Holtz as the employee delegate, to attend the 2024 MERS annual conference at a cost not to exceed \$1,200.00. Motion carried.

D. Motion by Patterson, supported by Oddy, to approve Rachel Scott, DPW, to attend the MRWA math training at a cost not to exceed \$650.00. Motion carried.

E. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to approve the emergency sinkhole repairs at 50350 Willis Road in the amount of \$12,700.00 payable to Diversified Excavation. Discussion. In the future, the board wants the invoice charges explained and pictures with any information to substantiate the repairs. Roll call vote: Yay: Rush, Bowman, Hurst, Oddy, Patterson. Nay: LaPorte. Motion carried.

F. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to accept the unsolicited offer by G. Brown of \$25,000.00 for parcel 81-114-99-0014-712, vacant land Willow Road, and to combine the parcel with his parcel. Roll call vote. Yay: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

G. Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve the unsolicited offer by D. Peeper of \$30,000.00 for parcel 81-109-99-0005-003, vacant land on Sumpter Road. Discussion. The proposed land split is not acceptable. Roll call vote. Yay: None. Nay: Bowman, Hurst, Patterson, Rush, LaPorte, and Oddy. Motion failed.

H. Motion by Patterson, supported by Bowman, to approve Scott Holtz and one additional employee to attend the 2024 BS&A conference at a cost not to exceed \$4,000.00. Discussion. Holtz's recommendation is A. Harris. She uses five modules of BS&A. Roll call vote: Yay: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

I. Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve posting and approving bids for tree removal and/or trimming at Graham Park. Motion carried.

J. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve Resolution 2024-07, authorizing the fire assessment amount. Discussion. Roll call vote: Yay: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

K. Motion by Rush, supported by LaPorte, to approve 7 yards of gravel for the installation of the floating dock and canoe/kayak launch area at a cost of \$248.00 utilizing ARPA funds. Motion carried.

14. Announcements: None.

15. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to adjourn at 7:05 pm. Motion carried.

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HELP US GIVE BACK

Thanksgiving Food Drive

Your Romulus Police Department is collecting canned goods and non-perishable items to support families in need during the holiday season.

Requested Items:

- Canned vegetables
- Canned fruits
- Canned soup
- Boxed stuffing mix
- Instant mashed potatoes
- Rice and pasta
- Cranberry sauce
- Gravy
- Dry beans
- Cooking oil and baking mixes

Drop-off Dates

11/4/24 – 11/22/24

Drop-off Location:

Romulus Police Department 11165 Olive Romulus, MI 48174

Your generosity will help ensure everyone in our community has a joyus Thanksgiving! ❤️





Romulus Tree Lighting

Santa will be here

on Friday, November 29, 2024. Festivities begin at 5:00 p.m. at the Romulus Historical Park



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Sumpter Township
Regular Board Meeting
Tuesday, September 10, 2024, 6:00 p.m.
23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, MI 48111
Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Bowman at 6:05 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call: Supervisor Bowman, Clerk Hurst, Treasurer Patterson, Trustees: Oddy, Morgan, Rush, and LaPorte. Also showing present: Township Manager Burdick, Attorney Young, Deputy Clerk Armatis, Public Safety Director/Police Chief Luke, Fire Chief Brown, Finance Director Holtz, and 10 attendees.

3. Presentation by Rana Emmons with Post, Smythe, Lutz, and Ziel on the 2023-2024 audit. Unmodified results. Audit booklets were handed out.

4. Agenda: Motion by LaPorte, supported by Rush, amended by Oddy, supported by Patterson to approve the agenda with removal of item B and addition of items G & H. Motion carried.

5. Public Comment/Open Floor: Two (2) attendees spoke.

6. Minutes:
A. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve the regular board meeting minutes of August 27, 2024. Motion carried.

7. Warrants: Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve warrants totaling \$253,345.15. Roll call vote: Yes: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

8. Motion by Oddy, supported by LaPorte, to receive and file the supervisor’s report. Motion carried.

9. Township Manager’s Report by Burdick. Community center doors and campus parking lots projects are this month. Recycle area is complete. Graham Park playscape is next spring. Police department window and flooring bids will be on the next agenda, and the Graham Park tree bids close on September 18. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy to accept the manager’s report as read. Motion carried.

10. Attorney’s report by Young. Attorney Young wants the board to have a motion regarding a zoning ordinance amendment. Motion by Rush, supported by LaPorte, to accept the report. Motion carried.

MOTION by Rush, supported by LaPorte, to direct the planning commission to conduct a public hearing for a zoning ordinance amendment regarding slaughterhouse locations and other related activities. Roll call vote: Yes: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

11. Police Report by Chief Luke: Motion by LaPorte, supported by Oddy, to approve the police report as read by Chief Luke. Motion carried.

12. Building Report by Bowman. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to accept the building report as read. Motion carried.

13. Fire Report by Chief Brown. Motion by Patterson, supported by Morgan, to accept the fire report as read. J. Goode spoke of a new program on risk assessment of special needs families. Dispatch and HVA will have information as well as the department. He is working on smoke detectors for seniors that MI Prevention program will provide. Motion carried. Morgan thanked Goode for all his hard work and training that he takes.

14. Board Response: Rush stated that CWW starts back at Huron Township September 13, 2024. LaPorte stated that the recycling pad and area look great, and over 100 people took recyclables back Saturday. Oddy explained that ARPA funds are from the government, not township general fund monies.

15. New Business:

A. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to approve the emergency water main repairs at 44750 Willow Road and payment to Diversified Excavation in the amount of \$6,300.00. Motion carried.

B. **REMOVED.** To approve to establish the new Sumpter Township Recreation Committee with Nocolé VanAssche as appointed chairperson, pending background approval.

C. Motion by Oddy, supported by LaPorte, to approve to pay \$56,400.00 to Diversified Excavating for the recycling concrete pad approved on July 9, 2024, paid with ARPA funds. Motion carried.

D. Motion by Patterson, supported by LaPorte, to approve the Wayne County WIC agreement for rent in the amount of \$21,207.00 for 3 years, effective October 1, 2024. Motion carried.

E. Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve a payout of the final benefits bank time for John Danci in the amount of \$3,347.37. Motion carried.

F. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy to approve the adoption of the township-wide Cash Handling Policy developed by the Investment Committee. Motion carried.

G. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve sending the deputy treasurer and the finance director to MGFOA, September 29 through October 2, 2024, at a cost not to exceed \$2,100.00. Motion carried.

H. Motion by Morgan, supported by Bowman, to approve contributing \$5,000.00 to the legal defense of toxic waste disposal in Van Buren Township, subject to review of Sumpter Township attorney. Motion carried.

16. Announcements: None.

17. Motion by Bowman, supported by Morgan, to adjourn at 7:06 pm. Motion carried.

Minutes prepared by:
Deputy Clerk K. Armatis
Sumpter Township

Sumpter Township
Regular Board Meeting
Tuesday, September 24, 6:00 p.m.
23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, MI 48111
Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Bowman at 6:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call: Supervisor Bowman, Clerk Hurst, Treasurer Patterson, Trustees: Oddy, LaPorte, and Rush. Morgan excused. Also showing present: Township Manager Burdick, Deputy Clerk Armatis, Finance Director Holtz, Attorney Young, Public Safety Director/Police Chief Luke, Fire Chief Brown, and 8 attendees.

3. Agenda: Motion by Patterson, supported by LaPorte, to approve the agenda with the removal of items A and B and addition of items J and K. Motion carried.

4. Public Comment. 2 attendees spoke.

5. Minutes: Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve the Regular Board Meeting Minutes of September 10, 2024, and approve the Special Board Meeting Minutes of September 17, 2024. Motion carried.

6. Warrants: Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to approve warrants totaling \$161,874.99. Roll call vote: Yes: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

7. Finance report given by Holtz. Royalty just came in, and it is 5% less. Feds cut rate 50%. MGFOA is next week that he and Deputy Campbell are attending. October 1, 2024 marks half way through the year. 2025-2026 budget planning will begin, please think ahead. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve the finance report. Motion carried.

8. Township Manager Burdick read his report. Motion by Rush, supported by Patterson, to approve the manager’s report. Motion carried.

9. Water/Sewer report: Motion by Oddy, supported by Bowman, to receive and file the report. Motion carried.

10. Treasurer’s report: Motion by Rush, supported by Hurst, to receive and file the report. Motion carried.

11. Planning & Zoning report: Oddy stated the next meeting in November will have special land use zoning with adjustments to the animal ordinance. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to accept the planning/zoning report. Motion carried.

12. Board Response: Rush wants a disclaimer put on the video recording of the board meeting regarding the inappropriate language used by a citizen. LaPorte called upon J. Goode to report on the Risk Reduction program. He had obtained 76 smoke detectors and 25 CO detectors through

the program. He will have unlimited stock after this initial amount. Four seniors to this date have made requests. LaPorte and the board thanked Goode for his program.

13. New Business:

A. **REMOVED.** Consider approving an amendment to the Finance Director’s and Township Accountant’s contracts to report to the township board.

B. **REMOVED.** Consider defining that payroll duties are under the Clerk’s office supervision and overseen by the Finance Director.

C. Motion by Patterson, supported by LaPorte, to accept the fuel tank refresh quote from Chapp & Bushey Oil Company at a total cost of \$3,915.65. Motion carried.

D. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy, to approve Rachel Scott, DPW, to attend the MRWA S3 & S4 training at a cost not to exceed \$650.00. Motion carried.

E. Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve the attached proposed ARPA re-obligation of funds and targeted projects. Motion carried.

F. Motion by LaPorte, supported by Oddy, to accept the bid by EMU Global Services to replace the police department's south side windows at a cost of \$18,350.00 paid with ARPA funds or other available funds, if required. Motion carried.

G. Motion by Rush, supported by LaPorte, to approve the sole bid by Concrete Floor Treatment to replace the police department restroom floors at the cost of \$13,952.00, paid with ARPA funds or other available funds, if required. Motion carried.

H. Motion by Patterson, supported by Oddy, to post and publish an invitation to bid for township buildings’ fire and security alarm installation and monitoring services. Motion carried.

I. Motion by Rush, supported by LaPorte, to post and publish an invitation to bid for the township hall roof replacement, which will be paid for with ARPA and other additional funds if required. Motion carried.

J. Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to accept the sole bid by Diversified Excavating for Banotai and Graham Park interior roadways and parking lots for \$39,800.00 which includes a savings of \$10,000.00 by using the campus parking lot millings. Motion carried.

K. Motion by Oddy, supported by Rush, to approve Resolution 2024-08 regarding hazardous waste disposal. Amended by Patterson, supported by Hurst. Roll call vote: Yay: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

14. Announcements: None.

15. Motion by Patterson, supported by Rush, to go into closed session pertaining to the attorney’s opinion letter on Republic Landfill and the attorney’s opinion letter on a pending audit at 6:41 pm. Roll call vote: Yay: All in favor. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Hurst, supported by LaPorte to come back into open session at 7:25 pm. Motion carried.

Motion by Oddy, supported by Patterson to have the attorney proceed as directed. Motion carried.

16. Motion by Patterson, supported by LaPorte to adjourn at 7:26 pm. Motion carried.

Minutes prepared by Deputy Clerk K. Armatis Sumpter Township

SUMPTER TOWNSHIP
SNOW REMOVAL BIDS

The Township of Sumpter, 23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, MI 48111, is seeking sealed bids for snow removal of sidewalks, driveways, and handicap ramps using Wayne County grant monies.

Bids must include the following:

- 1) Commercial Vehicle insurance for all vehicles used.
- 2) List of equipment used to provide snow removal.
- 3) Employer Federal Tax I.D.
- 4) Copy of Business License
- 5) List of all drivers and their driver’s license numbers.
- 6) Liability insurance naming Sumpter Township as an additional insured. This will also be required to be provided from each contractor if subcontractors are used to provide snow removal.
- 7) Workers compensation certificate if employees are used to provide service.
- 8) Payment to be supplied from Wayne County Grant Funds. County Regulations to be complied with.
- 9) Sealed bids to be submitted to the Township Clerk’s Office by November 25, 2024, at 12:00 pm. Bids will be opened on November 25, 2024, at 2:00 pm.

The Township of Sumpter is an equal-opportunity employer.

Publish November 14, 2024

Sumpter Township
Special Board Meeting
Tuesday, September 17, 2024, 6:00 p.m.
23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, MI 48111
Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Bowman at 6:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call: Supervisor Bowman, Clerk Hurst, Treasurer Patterson, Trustees: Oddy, Morgan, Rush, and LaPorte. Also showing present: Township Manager Burdick, Attorney Young, Deputy Clerk Armatis, Finance Director Holtz, and 0 attendees.

3. Motion by Rush, supported by Oddy to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

4. Public Comment: None.

5. New Business:

A. Motion by Rush, supported by LaPorte, to go into closed session under OMA Act 267 of 1976 15.268(i), Attorney’s opinion pertaining to Republic Landfill at 6:05 pm. Roll call vote: Yay: All in favor, Nay: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Morgan, supported by Rush, to go back to open session at 6:51 pm. Motion carried.

Motion by Oddy, supported by LaPorte, to direct the attorney to proceed. Motion carried.

6. Announcements: None.

17. Motion by Bowman, supported by Morgan, to adjourn at 6:53 pm. Motion carried.

Minutes prepared by: Deputy Clerk K. Armatis



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